

## Visitors...

You may be a first-time visitor, but you're not a stranger. The Visitor's Package has been developed to let you know you're important to us. Our fellowship has been made richer because you are here.

Please fill out the visitor's card enclosed in the package and drop it in the offering plate or hand it to the Minister on your way out. We want to get to know you better!

### Happy Birthday Glenda Bailey 12/28



## Gerving This Week

Men Serving P.M Kermit Calhoun & James Lester

Serving the Sick James Self

A.M. Nursery Pat Large & Scherona Newsome

P.M. Nursery Steve & Sue Blevins Wed. Evening Speaker Mike Belcher

### **IMPORTANT UP-COMING EVENTS**

\*\*Men's Meeting: Thursday January 12<sup>th</sup> @ 7 pm.

\*\*Men's Prayer Breakfast: Saturday January 14<sup>th</sup> @ 9am.

\*\*Ladies Meeting: Monday January 16<sup>th</sup> @ 6:30 pm.



# WELCOME



While they were there, the days were completed for her to give birth. And she gave birth to her firstborn son; and she wrapped Him in cloths, and laid Him in a manger, because there was no room for them in the inn. In the same region there were some shepherds staying out in the fields and keeping watch over their flock by night. And an angel of the Lord suddenly stood before them, and the glory of the Lord shone around them; and they were terribly frightened. But the angel said to them, "Do not be afraid; for behold, I bring you good news of great joy which will be for all the people; for today in the city of David there has been born for you a Savior, who is Christ the Lord. Luke 2: 6-11

**December 25, 2016** 

### Macedonia Church of Christ

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Sunday Morning Bible Study: 10:00 A.M. Sunday Morning Worship: 11:00 A.M. Sunday Evening: 6:00 P.M. Wednesday Bible Study: 7:00 P.M. Office Hours: Monday - Friday  $9:00 \ am - 2:00 \ pm$ 

Macedonia Church of Christ is a New Testament Christian Congregation. We are Christians only choosing to wear the name that honors our Lord Jesus Christ; believing that Jesus is the only Savior. Our plea is for unity. The Bible is our only guide. We accept the Bible as the full and final revelation of the will of God to man. We use Bible names for Bible things giving them the same meaning as the Bible does. The New Testament reveals the early Church continued steadfastly in the apostles' doctrine and fellowship, and in breaking of bread, and in prayers. (Acts 2:42) We follow the New Testament pattern and example to conduct ourselves that all might be led to a closer relationship with our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

#### TO THOSE INTERESTED IN CHURCH MEMBERSHIP

At the close of each service we give the opportunity for those desiring to become a Christian to step out and come forward. You will be given the opportunity to confess that Jesus is the Christ the Son of the living God and to Repent and to be Baptized for the remission of sins as seen in Acts 2:38. "Then Peter said unto them, Repent, and be Baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins, and ye shall receive the gift of the Holy Ghost."

If you are a member of a church elsewhere, and wish to become a part of our Church family, you need no church letter of transfer. However, our church practices and accepts only the baptism of the New Testament, which is immersion for the remission of sins. (Colossians 2:12, 13) If you have not been immersed you can anticipate experiencing this God ordained ordinance.

# Order of Worship

Please turn off cell phones and pagers during Worship Services.

Jeff Widener Welcome Roy Jessee & Joyce Perkins **Special** 

Call To Worship

Scripture Reading Opening Hymn **Opening Prayer** Praise Hymn

Jeff Widener p.1017 "Away in a Manger"

Mike Belcher p.1005 "Beautiful Star of Bethlehem"

The Lord's Supper

(WORSHIPERS MAY PARTAKE AS THE EMBLEMS ARE PASSED)

Communion Meditation

Steve Counts

Communion Hymn "Jesus Keep Me Near the Cross" Prayer for the Loaf Prayer for the Cup

p.383 James Lester Ronnie Stilter

Offertory Prayer

Roy Jessee

Morning Message

Preaching of the Word

Ron Musick

The Choir Presents

"A Night To Remember" Time of Decision

Invitation Hymn Closing Prayer

"Have Thine Own Way Lord"

p.552 Bruce Olivo

"Go Tell It on the Mountain" First part only

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### **Prayer List**

Akers, Shirley Bailey, Bill Ball, Josh's baby son Belcher, Don Bias, Mark Blankenship, Virgus Brewer, Ainsleigh Brooks, Lisa Clevinger, Carol Cook, Edie Cullop, Myrna Easterling, Bridgett Elkins, Patty Hibbits, Margaret Hicks, Ellie Hoodson, Sharon Large, Bob Lee, Brenda Leonard, Janet Lester, Susie Lester, Thurman

Looney, Sharon McConville, Tommy Newsome, Homer Poe. Shannon Prater, Lundy Prater, Mackey Rife, Kermit Rife, Sue Shortridge, Hearl Stiltner, Amanda Stoots, Dale Taylor, Rick Vandyke, Kayla Vanover, Roger Viers, Lindsey Wellchance, Mary Widener, Nathan Williams, Morgann Wise Family- Fire Woods, Mazie

PRAISES! Mike Newsome rededicated his life to the Lord on Wednesday, December 14<sup>th</sup>! Please keep him in your prayers.

> In Sympathy Betty Sadler

Phone Tree announcements number 877-698-3261.